GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

P.S – Revenue Department – Smt Ch.Ramalakshmi, formerly MRO, Anakapalli(M), Visakhapatnam Dist and Dy.Collector(Retd.)- Alleged to have committed certain irregularities – Article of charges issued – Enquriy conducted – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 812

Dated:03 -06-2013. Read the following:

- 1. Fromt the Collector, Visakhaptnam district Lr.No. 1471/2008, Legal Cell, Dt: 26-8-2008
- 2. From the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad Lr. No. VS I (1)/308/2009, Dated: 9-10-2009 together with the Lr. No. 1471/2008/Legal Cell, Dated: 24-9-2009.
- 3. G.O.Rt. No. 1720, Rev (Vig.III) Dept., Dated: 10-12-2009.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No.1725, Rev (Vig.III) Dept., Dated:10-12-2009
- 5. From Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, SDC, Written statement of defence dt:5-3-2010
- 6. G.O.Rt.No. 221, Rev (Vig.III) Dept., Dated: 17-2-2011
- 7. Govt. Memo No. 63006/Vig.III (1)/2008-3, Dt:17-2-2011
- 8. From the Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam district Lr. No.1471/2008/Legal Cell, Dated: 7-11-2011.
- 9. Govt.Memo No. 63006/Vig.III (1)/2008-28, Dt: 20-3-2012.
- 10. From Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, Dy. Collector (Rtd) Repn., Dt: 14-6-2012.
- 11. Govt memo No.63006/Vig.III (1)/2008, Dt: 24-12-2012.
- 12. From the Registrar, Institution of Lokayukta of AP, Lr.Dis No.1080/2007/B1/Lok/1493/2013, dt.12-3-2013.
- 13. From Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, Dy. Collector (Rtd) Repn., Dt: 31-3-2013.

ORDER:

The Government after careful examination of the report of the Collector, Visakhapatnam district furnished in the reference 1st read above and based on the draft article of charges submitted by the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad, in the reference 2nd read above, article of charges were issued to Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Anakapally mandal, Visakhapatnam district & Deputy Collector(Retd) in the reference 3rd read above duly calling for her written statement of defence. She has submitted her written statement of defence in the reference 5th read above and requested the Government to drop further action against her. The Government after careful examination of the matter appointed the Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam district as enquiry officer in the G.O.6th read above to conduct common enquiry against all the charged officers in the case including Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, former Mandal Revenue Officer, Anakapally mandal, Visakhapatnam district & now retired as Deputy Collector.

2. The Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam district conducted enquiry and submitted his enquiry report in the reference 8th read above stating that the first charge framed against Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, former Mandal Revenue Officer, Anakapally(M), Visakhapatnam district & now retired as Deputy Collector is held partly proved and second charge is held not proved. A copy of the enquiry report was communicated to

her as required under rule-21 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 so as to facilitate her to submit her representation on the findings of the enquiry officer vide reference 9th read above and she has submitted her representation in the reference 10^{th} read above requesting the Governemnt to drop further action against her.

Government after careful examination of the matter observed that the contention of the charged officer is not convincing and therefore, provisionally decided to impose a punishment of 5% cut in pension for a period of (1) year on her for the charge held partly proved against her. Accordoingly a show casue notice in the reference 11th read above was issued to her to show cause as to why the said penalty shall not be imposed on her and she has submitted explanation in the reference 13th read above.

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- The Hon'ble Lokayukta in its orders vide reference 12th read above has observed that that the M.R.O., is subordinate of the Deputy Collector and she is no way concerned with award enquiry or passing of the award or payment of the compensation. Hence, her role in the matter of Land Acquisition proceedings are not at all there under the statute or otherewise and finally, the Hon'ble Lokayukta has directed to close the disciplinary enquiry and to drop the disciplinary proceedings against Smt. Ch. Rama Lakshmi and also grant her full pensionary benefits and other retrial benefits.
- 5. After careful examination of the matter and after considering the orders of Hon'ble Lokayukta, Govt have decided to drop further action against the said charged officer. Accordingly, further action is hereby dropped against Smt Ch. Ramalakshmi, formerly Mandal Revenue Officer, Anakapally mandal, Visakhapatnam district & Deputy Collector(Retd) and the Chief Commissoner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad is requested to take necessary further action as per rules in voque.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.R.MEENA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Chief Commissioner of Land administration, A.P.Hyderabad Sri Ch.Ramalakshmi, formerly MRO, Anakapally(M), Visakhapatnam district and Dy.Collector(retd.)

(Through the CCLA, Hyderabad)

Copy to:

The Collector, Visakhapatnam. SC/SF.

//Forwarded :: By Order//

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